## **ORDINANCE NO. 95**

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 81 "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A VOLUNTARY FIRE DEPARTMENT AND MAKING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE SAME"

The City Council of the City of Hokah, Houston County, Minnesota, ordains as follows:

I. That Section 1 entitled, "Fire Department Established," in said Ordinance No. 81, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. Fire Department Established. There is hereby established in this City a volunteer fire department consisting of the chief and two assistant chiefs and not less than ten nor more than thirty fire fighters."

II. That Section 2 entitled, "Election (Appointment) of said Ordinance No. 81" be and the same hereby is amended as follows:

"Section 2. Election (Appointment). The Chief of the Fire Department the first assistant chief and the second assistant chief shall be elected, subsequent to the adoption of this Ordinance, by the members of the department, subject to confirmation by the City Council. The chief and the first assistant shall be elected for a term of two years, and the second assistant chief shall be elected for a term of one year, at the first election following the adoption of this ordinance and thereafter shall be elected for a term of two years. Each such officer shall hold office until his successor has been duly elected, except that he may be removed by the city Council. Fire fighters and probationary fire fighters shall be appointed by the members of the Department. Fire fighters hall continue as members of the Department during good behavior, and may be removed by the Council only for cause."

III. That Section 8 entitled, "Fire Fighters." Of said Ordinance No. 81 be and the same hereby is amended by adding thereto the following provision:

The members of the Department may elect as "honorary fire fighters" those individuals, at their discretion, over the age of 65, which individuals need not receive the compensation provided in Section 10 hereof.

IV. That Section 10 entitled "Compensation," of said Ordinance No. 81 be and the same hereby is amended to delete:

"The Fire Marshall --\$10 per year"

V. Section - "Effective Date." This Ordinance takes effect upon its due enactment and publication as provided by law.

Passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Hokah this 5<sup>th</sup> day of April 1977.

Harley B. Kuhlmann Mayor

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Verian E. Craig

Clerk Filed April 10, 1977